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This Week

by Arthur Brisbane
**Lindbergh Stunts
Fire Prevention Week
Another Biggest Bank
Peg Broker—Sold Short**

Colonel Lindbergh is a wonderful flyer, one of this nation's most precious possessions.

For that reason it is too bad that he cannot be persuaded to exercise reasonable caution.

An accident to Colonel Lindbergh would be, as President Hoover has said, "a great blow to the affections of the United States."

It would also be a great blow to aviation in the United States, which perhaps interests Colonel Lindbergh more.

It would check the progress of aviation seriously, arousing great distrust.

When Colonel Lindbergh was stunting recently at Cleveland he amused himself swooping downward almost to the ground, at terrific speed, suddenly turning upward.

A competent engineer watching the stunt said: "His plane weighs 2,000 pounds. The stunt just performed puts a terrific strain on the wings and other parts equivalent to changing the weight of the plane from 2,000 pounds to 30,000 pounds."

Selecting the anniversary of the Chicago fire, President Hoover proclaims a fire prevention week, urging "the exercise of ordinary care on the part of our citizens." He notes that "for two consecutive years fire losses in the United States have been decreased."

Life imprisonment, in every case, for arson might help, and would be justified, since arson indicates willingness to commit murder.

Important, and neglected, is the task of fighting forest fires. Chemists and airplanes should combine to solve that problem.

Again "The world's biggest bank" makes its bow, bigger than any thus far.

Charles E. Mitchell, head of New York's National City bank, absorbs the Corn Exchange bank, creating an institution with resources of two thousand five hundred millions of dollars.

This one financial giant will have 100 branch banks in New York. The old-fashioned million has given way to the new "billion."

When will the TRILLION be transferred from books on astronomy to the books of United States bankers?

In Wall street a broker has closed up. His story is sad and brief. **SOLD SHORT.**

And, most strange, he sold bank stocks short.

To "short" a bank stock with banks getting from 10 to 20 per cent for money on call, calls for an investigation in lunacy.

You read that the naval conference will depend largely on what Japan wants and agrees to. The powerful face of the Japanese Premier Hamaguchi, who will do the deciding, tells you that Japan will talk plainly.

If Uncle Sam and Britain cannot agree, Mr. Hamaguchi will be useful as a good excuse.

Why doesn't Uncle Sam decide for himself what he wants in airplanes, cruisers, submarines and everything else? Do we NEED the approval of another country?

Mr. Good, secretary of war, speaking with President Hoover's authority, says the country is prepared to spend hundreds of millions in addition to fifteen hundred millions already spent for harbor and river improvements.

The secretary of war says: "The government will link together every part of the country with a chain of inland waterways, making one great artery of trade."

That's good news. The people want national improvements, have plenty of money and, fortunately, they have a President who is an engineer and understands problems involved.

He would rather attend to great permanent enterprises and let somebody else attend to bootleg liquor.

News from Jerusalem that will doubtless cause indignation and mass meetings tells of the arrest of 44 Jews of Heifa, held without bail, accused of premeditated murder of Arabs during the recent Arab-Jewish riots.

Happy Free State of Ireland! It lacks the blessing of prohibition, but on the other hand it lacks our stupefying crime wave.

Irish military barracks are being changed into dwellings for workers. And Irish prisons are changed to broadcasting stations and other uses.

While this country multiplies its prisons, containing thousands of prisoners, with occasional frightful rebellion, the Irish Free State reports a total prison population of 700.

Britain is disturbed because the nation seems to have reached the "stationary point in population."

No wonder—the same animal cannot be a prize bred mare and a good cart horse.

By King Features Syndicate, Inc.

DR. KEYPORT V. P. MICHIGAN MEDICS

Dr. C. R. Keyport was elected second vice-president of the Michigan State Medical Society at their meeting held in Jackson last week, being advanced from the position of third vice. The meeting was attended by about 2,000 delegates.

Dr. Keyport's success as a surgeon and physician has brought him into prominence throughout the state, hence the fine compliment in electing him to the high office of vice president.

Other officers elected were Dr. J. D. Brock, Grandville, president; Dr. Geo. F. Inch, Traverse City, 1st vice-president; Dr. E. H. Webster, Soo, 3rd vice and Dr. F. C. Warnhuis, Grand Rapids, secretary.

MICH. PUBLIC SERVICE EMPLOYEES MEET AT CHEBOYGAN

Employees of the Michigan Public Service Co., of this district of which F. A. Swanson of Cheboygan is manager, held an "educational meeting" at Cheboygan Tuesday evening. The local branch was represented by Manager Sigwald Hanson and Don Reynolds of the sales and office department. Accompanying them were Mayor Chris Olsen and O. P. Schumann.

These meetings are arranged and planned by the employees exclusively and the managers understand that they are to keep their oars out, except that they are always welcome to the meetings.

The programs consist of talks by employees on topics pertaining to the good of the work. The elimination of waste, handling of complaints, and other kindred subjects are talked on and discussed. In addition there is usually a short one or two-act skit presented, illustrating the disadvantages and finally the advantages of electricity in the home.

Those presenting talks and papers at these meetings are men from the various service departments. Men who know first hand the problems that confront them in their daily tasks. The general discussions bring up many points that, after being threshed out, result in greater savings to the Company and better service to the public.

FILM DEPICTS LANDSCAPE TRAGEDY

Directors of the East Michigan Tourist association last fall formally took action toward the beautification of highways and community environs and the elimination of unsightly and disfiguring buildings. It is interesting to note the association directors feel, that seven of the State Federations of Women's clubs have bought the motion picture "What is Happening to the Landscape of America," a five-minute film that depicts the scale on which advertisers are transforming the highways into billboard lanes, highways incidentally which the motorist's money has built.

The fact that the women find theatre managers and chambers of commerce willing to show the picture is evidence of the fast-mounting tide of opposition to what the money changes are doing to the temple of Nature.

Already 250 national advertisers and agencies have endorsed the movement to restrict outdoor advertising to commercial districts.

Appreciation

We wish to thank our friends for their help, their gifts and donations during our misfortune in losing our home by fire.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wells and Son.



1—National Vaudeville Artists' restaurant, just opened at Saranac Lake, N. Y., which has huge sunroom with quartz windows. 2—One of the Russian gunboats that have been sinking Chinese vessels on the Suigari river, Manchuria. 3—Augustus Vollmer, former police chief of Berkeley, Calif., new member of the President's crime and law enforcement commission.

Michelson Memorial Church

John Wilfred Greenwood, Minister

Sunday, September 29, 1929

10:30 a. m. Theme: "The Hound Of Heaven."

7:30 p. m. Theme: "The Preacher and his art gallery."

The Thumb of Michigan

Michigan is fortunate in that she has a Thumb, for the biologist tells us that the thumb is the way in which man differs from the rest of the species. And in that thumb, there are splendid farms and fortunate farmers. They may not think so at times, but when I saw them the other day, they seemed to be on good terms with God.

I watched the farmers in their fields

And marveled secretly.

They are so very calm and sure, They have such dignity.

They know the simple things so well,

Although their learning's small, They find a steady, brown content Where some fine none at all.

And all their quarrellings with God Are soon made up again; They grant forgiveness when He sends

His silver, tardy rain.

Their pleasure is so grave and full When gathered crops are trim, You know they think their work was done

In partnership with Him.

—Selected.

Let us find our happiness this year In knowing that all worth-while work is done in partnership with God.

MICHIGAN LICENSE PLATES TO BE YELLOW AND BLACK

Michigan license plates for 1930 will be the reverse of the present color combination. The background will be deep yellow with black lettering. Pennsylvania's plates will also be the same colors but of course a difference in lettering. Indiana's will have a blue background with orange letters, Alabama a red background with white letters, Wisconsin will have white letters on a gray background.

The Doukhobors are parading naked in Canada. The Canadian Mounted Police could probably handle this with a couple of good wasp nests.

FIRE PREVENTION ON THE FARM

DEVOTED TO SAFEGUARD PROPERTY

Backed by the Governor, State Fire Marshal and Superintendent of Public Instruction

Fire Prevention Week means more this year than ever before because activities along that line will be extended into the rural districts instead of being confined principally to cities and villages as heretofore.

The apparent increase in the burning of farm buildings was brought to the attention of Governor Green and State Fire Marshal Livingston, with a request that efforts be made to interest the rural people in the proper observance of the occasion, which was met with hearty accord and the Governor has incorporated in his proclamation an appeal to the farmers to join with those in the cities and villages to make the 1929 Fire Prevention Week the greatest success of all preceding years.

The period set for Fire Prevention Week comes during the most busy time of the year for folks on the farm. In early October they are gathering their crops, with all speed possible, that they may be marketed or safely stored before freezing weather.

That plan as devised for Fire Prevention on the farm requires but a part of one day, which any farmer may well devote to safe-guarding his property against fire.

Acting upon the suggestions of the Governor a meeting was held in the office of the State Fire Marshal, Lansing, to perfect plans for carrying out the rural inspection, which is as follows:

Teachers of all Michigan rural schools, comprising about 8,500, will be furnished with Fire Prevention literature which applies to rural property, which will be read to the pupils, Friday, October 11th, making that Fire Prevention day in rural schools.

At the rise of school that day one pupil in each family will be provided with an inspection blank, which will be taken home to the parents. On Saturday morning, October 12th, the parents are urged to join with their children in making an inspection of their property, recording the results on the inspection blank furnished, which will be returned to the teacher the following Monday.

Should the supply of inspection reports in the hands of the rural school teacher become exhausted they may be secured from any subscriber of the Michigan Farmer, as it will be printed in that publication in their issue of the first week in October.

OTSEGO AND ROSCOMMON COUNTIES ENJOY FINE TOURIST SEASON

Reports from Otsego County are that the season just closed was one of the most successful resort years.

The state park was crowded almost to capacity during July and August. One hundred additional cottages on Otsego Lake would not have taken care of the demand of vacationists.

Roscommon County reports are that the tourist and resort season just closed was one of the best ever enjoyed. Cottages were filled, hotels enjoyed a fine patronage and business in other lines was very good.

The Roscommon Herald-News says that more deals in resort property were made in 1929 than in a long time and a considerable amount of money was spent in the erection of cottages and other improvements.

The banquet was the next thing on the program, and of course, was thoroughly enjoyed. The Board of Education were the principal guests.

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DAIRY SIRE TRAIN HERE TODAY 12:30 P.M.

Welcome Farmers

THE REPORT CARD

(By Grayling Public Schools)

Class Day a Big Success

The annual class day program was held Friday afternoon and evening, Sept. 20, and judging from the enthusiasm and school spirit manifested through the whole affair, it was a grand success. All the stunts went off with pep and vim which indicated the true loyalty of the students to Grayling High School and to their respective classes. The day proved even more popular than last year, new features having been added to the list of class activities.

School closed at 1:50 p. m. Friday to allow the students time to prepare for the games which started at 2:00 sharp.

The first on the list was a rope tying contest between the Seniors and Juniors and Sophomores, the Juniors and Sophs. coming through victorious.

The Seniors put up a spirited fight but in the end were overcome by their opponents who fought with true school vigor.

Next came the tug-of-war between the seventh and eighth grades. The sides were quite evenly balanced, but the seventh graders proved to be the best fighters.

Then came the "Ride the Horse" contest. This stunt was a new feature this year. A wooden horse was set up with mats beneath, and each boy (two on the horse) was given a boxing glove on his right hand. The object was to knock his opponent from the horse, thus scoring a point for his class. Each grade was represented, beginning with Kenneth Hoseli, 7th, and Russell Mosher, 8th.

The eighth grader proved too strong for the smaller boy, knocking him from the horse with one punch. Then Rudy Harrison, Freshman, and Russell Dunham, Sophomore, fought for victory. Russell won in a short but rough tussle, in which Rudy was disqualified, striking with two hands. Next came Ernest Corwin and Walter Korhonen to fight for Juniors and Seniors respectively. The Senior representative put up a fine battle and finally overcame his Junior adversary. After that the Sophomore winner, Russell Dunham fought Russell Mosher, 8th grade winner. Mosher coming thru ahead. This victory brought the 8th grader against Walter Korhonen, Senior representative to fight for the final victory. This was by far the most interesting bout but was all too short, for Russell knocked his opponent from the horse in short order. That ended the boxing contest giving the 8th grade victory.

The flag rush proved the most exciting and hardest game of all with the Freshmen trying to capture the flag from the pole defended by the Juniors and Sophs. The Sophomores and Juniors guarded it gallantly for fifteen minutes, the prescribed time, thereby winning the event. Among those doing notable work for the Freshmen were Donald Akers, William Swanson, and Jack LaGrow, who gave striking examples of Freshman class spirit and loyalty.

All through the afternoon and evening the Seniors could be distinguished by their ribbons of crimson and grey, class colors, and the snappy yellows led by Elizabeth Matson.

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M. C. WOULD CUT OUT TWO TRAINS

There seems to be some agitation on the part of the Michigan Central officials to cut out two pullman afternoon trains soon—Nos. 203 and 206. One is now scheduled here at 1:45 p. m., going north, and one at 2:15 p. m., going south. This would leave only one fast train each way daily—one north at 3:35 a. m. and one south at 11:58 p. m.

If the proposed plan goes thru it will make it a hardship for all the cities along this line of railroad. Just how far the proposition has gone is uncertain but every effort should be made to head it off if possible. The matter should be taken up with the State Public Utilities commission and point out to them the need for continuation of this train service. Not a day should be delayed in getting action on the matter.

RIALTO OFFERING FINE ATTRACTIONS

The Rialto is offering its patrons some of the finest talking pictures that are to be had anywhere. No longer do Grayling people have to go to the city to witness the new productions. Manager Geo. N. Olson is on the alert constantly for the better plays and for that reason we are getting the new ones right off the reel.

At this time there is playing "Midnight Taxi" featuring Antonio Moreno and Helene Costello. Next Sunday, Monday and Tuesday they will present Lewis Stone and Leila Hyman in talking and sound picture "Wonder of Women."

Good attractions are offered every night in the week. There are no dark nights at the Rialto.

SETTING A COMMUNITY BACK

Nothing retards a community like pettiness among its business men or people.

Yet how many towns and small cities are free from its influence?

It is related that not so long ago, in a certain city of about 5,000 inhabitants, the merchants on one side of the court house square banded together to hold a special sale.

They secretly organized their advertising campaign and expected to take their competitors by surprise and net a big profit for themselves.

As they should have had judgment enough to know, the sale was a big failure in not coming up to their expectations and was harmful to the town because of the bad feeling it engendered among the other merchants.

Nothing is ever accomplished when the vision of a community's business men and its people is so narrow that everything done is only for personal gain.

Helpful cooperation is the only key to community success, and until this lesson is learned, no community is going to progress very far.—Oxford Leader.

In view of the experience of the recent trans-Atlantic tyers we are wondering whether Noah didn't find a stowaway or two on the Ark.



Reliable Service, Too

Regardless of what you want—whether it is one piece of lumber or a carload, material for a foundation or shingles for a roof, or anything required between—we maintain the same standard of quality and service. And keeping posted on the new things that come out makes our service for builders unsurpassed. Phone 62.

GRAYLING BOX CO.

EVERYTHING IN BUILDING MATERIAL

THE AVALANCHE FREE For One Year

To every Crawford County farmer purchasing a pure bred bull from the Dairy Sire Train here Thursday, Sept. 26, who turns in a scrub bull in exchange.

It is common knowledge that the fastest road to a profitable dairy herd is through a pure-bred sire of known ancestry and high production.

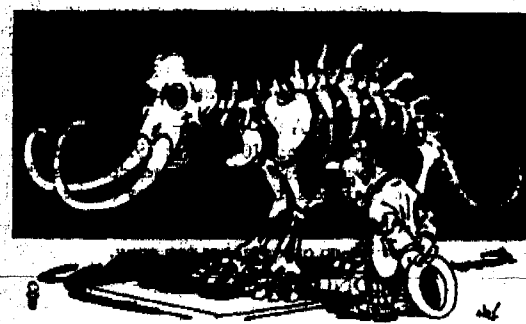
A dairyman does not need to spend a large amount of money buying a purebred herd.

If he will select a good pure-bred bull and use it in his herd of good grade cows and eliminate the low producers through Dairy Herd Improvement Association records, he will soon be on the road to profitable dairy production.

Only a very few of the hundreds of thousands of dairy farmers have entire pure-bred dairy herds, according to E. N. Hansen, Bull Specialist, Michigan State College, but it is hard for many of us to believe that less than one-fourth of the dairymen are using a pure-bred bull.

To show our interest in better dairying in Crawford County the AVALANCHE is glad to make the above offer. We wish to keep a record of all purchases made that day. Report to this office will entitle purchasers to the above offer—1 year subscription free.

AVALANCHE.



When He Was Alive —But Now!

When this animal was alive, men and women both did all their work by slow, laborious hand labor. Now it is so different. Electric utensils do the house work. Motors run the machinery. Electricity lights the homes, streets and places of business. We are equipped to give you complete electric service.

Michigan Public Service Co.

"WE ELECTRIFY THE HOME"

Phone 154



BATH SOAPS and BATH SALTS

A necessary adjunct of milady's bath. Soaps and bath salts in many entrancing odors. We will take unusual pleasure in showing them to you that you may learn how really delightful they are.



CRAWFORD AVALANCHE

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES

One Year\$2.00
Six Months1.00
Three Months50
Outside of Crawford County and Roscommon per year\$2.50

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1929

The New York optometrists have recommended eye exercises, and goodness knows the girls are doing their best to help us out.—Dayton News.

Added to the admonition to walk in the fear of the Lord is the advice to walk also in the terror of the flivver.—Boston Transcript.

Two girls met two young men and later compared notes after an evening out. One declared that her companion must have been a grocer, for he talked all the time about lard, butter, and so on.

"I think mine was a tram-conductor," said the other girl; "he kept telling me to 'sit a little closer, please.'"

TIT-BITS.

Endurance contests in the air, on dance floors, on top of flag poles, most everywhere except, employers allege, at office desks.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Shakespeare said that love is blind and when you look over some of the things which the dear girls pick as husbands you have to admit that William knew his cupid.

One of our cynical friends has renamed his year-old daughter Bolsheviki because he says she has turned the world topsy-turvy and destroyed family life.

A lot of these wise politicians who think they are making a hit by protecting the "deer peepul" from tariff increases will wake up next year to find out that the dear people didn't find a hang about it, being too busy touring the country and speculating in which way the stock market was going to turn.

According to a National Geographic Society bulletin the average Kurd over in Asia can trade his wife for a goat. In this country it generally happens that the wife is the goat.

It's true that men wear more clothing than women and when we see the average man in a bathing suit we are glad it's true.

Local Happenings

Miss Margaret Weiss is visiting in Detroit and other places.

Mrs. R. D. Bailey of Gaylord called on friends here Monday.

Lee Sherman of Saginaw visited at the Jerry Sherman home Saturday and Sunday.

Dress prints 25c value, now 19c; fine line of pongees were 35c, now 25c. Economy Store.

Miss Helen Estee enjoyed a visit from her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Estee of Shepherd over the week end.

You have heard of bargains but none like this. Pure aluminum for 89c at the Hanson Hdw.

Miss Maxine Collen expects to leave for Detroit Saturday to spend the winter at her trade, beauty culture.

Mrs. E. G. Clark has sold the property next to her home on Cedar street to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Smith. This was the former McElroy property.

Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Clippert and daughter Billieann are spending a few days visiting Mrs. Clippert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Webb at Mt. Pleasant.

John Wakeley, who is employed in General Motors Garage in Detroit is here this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wakeley down river.

Frank Bennett and family, who are residing in the house back of the Michelson Memorial church, have bought a home on the south side and will move there soon.

Five airplanes passed over Grayling Saturday afternoon in regular formation and their roar could be heard long in the distance. We did not learn for whence they were bound, however they did not stop at Grayling airport.

Charles Tromble returned home Saturday from a three weeks visit in Detroit and Pleasant Ridge, Michigan. He was accompanied home by his son-in-law, Guy Bradley, son James and daughter Louise, who returned home Sunday.

Roland Sidney Robarge, age one month and four days, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Robarge of this city passed away at Grayling Mercy Hospital Monday, after a three days illness with summer flu. The funeral was held Tuesday with services at the home.

Sheriff Bobenmoyer, assisted by deputies Frank May and Phil Quigley and two state police made a raid on the homes of Oscar Gampy and Thos. Humes, colored, at about 11 p. m. last Saturday night and found a quantity of liquor. In the woods nearby they found a still and liquor and mash. The men were arrested and turned over to the Federal court of Bay City.

The hillsides of Northern Michigan are right now in their finest raiment. The tree leaves are of almost every conceivable color. Right now is the time to see them at their best. In a few days the leaves will become brown and fall off and the attractiveness of the north woods will be impaired.—Grasp every opportunity to get out into the woods while nature is so unusually beautiful.

Earl Kross left for Detroit Tuesday on business.

Mrs. A. J. Joseph is seriously ill at her home on Peninsular avenue.

Peter Rasmussen is visiting his son Elmer and family in Saginaw.

Dave Lovelly of Flint is visiting at the home of his daughter Mrs. Harley Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bugby of Pincenning called on relatives here Saturday.

Louis Konvicka underwent an operation for the removal of his tonsils Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Forrest Barber returned from Durand Wednesday where she had been for a few days.

Why they talk about Hanson Hdw. Look at the bargains in our window, Aluminum 89c.

Miss Irene McKay, supervisor at Mercy Hospital returned Wednesday from a three weeks vacation spent at her home in Bay City and other places. While she was gone her place at the Hospital was filled by Miss Ellen Johnson.

Mr. Herman Eymmer, city engineer of Saginaw and Mr. Gordon A. Chicago engineer were callers in Grayling Saturday and Sunday. They were looking over the waterworks trying to get materials for a report showing how we might get this service to work efficient and get better fire protection and possibly pure water at a lower cost than we are paying now.

Earl Madsen motored up from Detroit Saturday to accompany his wife and daughter home who have been with Mrs. Madsen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wakeley the past seven weeks. Mrs. Madsen had been in ill health for several months so came here and the Jack pines and good Crawford County air greatly restored her and she returned to Detroit much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cassidy, Louis Kessler and Earle Hewitt were in Grand Rapids Monday, going to attend the funeral of Hugh Kelly, husband of Mr. Cassidy's sister, who passed away Friday after a long illness of tuberculosis. Funeral services were held Monday morning at St. Andrew's cathedral, Grand Rapids. Mrs. Louis Kessler who had been in Grand Rapids the past month assisting her sister in the care of her husband, returned home with them Tuesday, while Mrs. Cassidy remained with Mrs. Kelly and will probably be there for several weeks.

At a special meeting of Grayling Chapter O. E. S. last Friday night, initiation was held. Mrs. Austin J. Scott and Mrs. Theodore Stephan being the candidates. The affair was also a farewell for an esteemed member Mrs. Bert Ashenfelter, who is leaving Grayling soon. Mrs. Ashenfelter, who is a past worthy matron of the local chapter and has held other important offices in the lodge was presented with a beautiful mirror as a remembrance from the order. That lady has been most active in the work of the Eastern Star order and the members regret her leaving their circle very much.

A pretty wedding was held at Lady of Mt. Carmel church at Gaylord Monday morning, Sept. 16, at eight o'clock. The groom was Carl Laskos, son of Mrs. Katherine Laskos of Grayling and the bride Miss Genevieve Peters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Peters of Grand Rapids. Relatives of both bride and groom motored there to attend the ceremony. The young couple were attended by Lawrence Peters, brother of the bride and Miss Gertrude Laskos, sister of the groom acted as bridesmaid. They returned Wednesday to Grand Rapids and left for New York Thursday on an extended trip. They will be at home in Grand Rapids after October 1.

John Deckrow has an interesting demonstration on range oil burners going on in the tent next to the 5c to \$1 store on Main street. This method of heat in kitchen stoves has proven itself a wonderful success. The method is quite similar to that used in furnace oil burners and there is nothing to get out of order or to cause trouble. They do away with dirt and dust that accompany the use of wood or coal. He also handles burners for heating stoves. These burners are made by the Lynn Products Co., of Lynn, Mass. Every burner is guaranteed to operate successfully. Although Mr. Deckrow has just started his demonstration he already has sold quite a number of burners. The public is invited to step into the tent and see the range burners in operation.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fletcher will be sorry to learn that they are to leave Grayling about October 1st. Mr. Fletcher came to Grayling Oct. 7, 1918 and has been at the Military reservation since that time, where he assisted his son-in-law George Schaible, who is caretaker at this place, both families arriving just about the same time. Mr. Fletcher expects to go into business for himself at his former home in Lansing, he having followed the painting and decorating business for some time previous to coming to Grayling. There they will reside on North Pine Street. Their granddaughter Audrey Hewitt, who has made her home with them here will go with them. The Fletchers are fine citizens and their going will be regretted by many, however they are wished much success.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on and after this date I will not be responsible for any accounts incurred by my wife.

Dated Sept. 24, 1929.
9-24-29 Walter LaMothe.

Watch for the Eastern Star bako sale.

Mrs. Henry Denewett is suffering from a couple of ulcers on her left

Postmaster Harry L. Higgins of Frederic was a business caller in Grayling Monday.

George VanPatten, night clerk at Shoppensons Inn, returned Monday from a few days visit in Detroit, Ann Arbor and Flint.

George Granger returned Sunday to East Lansing to begin his third year at M. S. C. He is taking up civil engineering. He spent the vacation working all summer with a surveying crew for the State Parks division of the State Conservation department. Instead of spending a lot of money for a vacation he helped to survey state parks in nearly every part of the state. It was a fine experience for him and besides he saved up a hundred which will help out on next year's college expenses. George is deserving of a lot of credit for his efforts to obtain an education. After graduating from high school here he operated a trucking business for a couple of years to earn money for college expenses. He was doing well financially but his vision wasn't limited to what the trucking business could do for an enterprising young man. He is now entering his junior year at the college. It won't be long before he will have his A. B. degree. What George Granger has done almost any other intelligent, able-bodied young man can do—if he will. George Granger's characteristic principles, his ambition and his ideals are well worthy of emulation by any young boy or girl.

EAST MICHIGAN'S GREATEST TOURIST SEASON

(By E. M. T. Service)

The summer trekking has ended. Millions of persons who visited East Michigan and Michigan from other states have returned to their homes. They have scammed over "The Nation's Playground" or loafed alongside its Great Lakes, inland lakes and rivers. They have added chapters to their knowledge of history; they have added to their fund of anecdote; they have departed in better health than they came; they have had free cosmological lectures on beauty; they have added light and laughter to their lives.

It was East Michigan's greatest summer resort season. Reports from every section indicate this. Newspapers throughout the entire section in recapitulating the season's industry unreservedly state it was the greatest resort and tourist season.

TO RELEASE PHEASANTS

Pheasants from the three subsidiary yards are now being gathered by Superintendent Donald Lamont of the state game farm at Mason to be prepared for distribution through the districts where experience has shown that these birds succeeded. The birds are no longer distributed through applications sent in by individuals and clubs, but are shipped to and released by the game wardens in areas where additional breeding stock is needed and where the birds' chances of success are best.

Want Ads

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Phone 83-J.

FOR SALE—Baby buggy, kitchen cabinet, heating stove, trailer. For sale cheap if taken at once. Frank Decker.

UPHOLSTERING, repairing and refinishing. Work guaranteed. 12 years experience. Joseph P. Cullen. Phone 965-F-3-5.

FOR RENT—Good five room house. See O. P. Schumann at Avalanche Office. Phone 111.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Next door to M. E. church. Will be vacant about Oct. 1st. Adler Jorgenson.

FOR SALE—6 tables and chairs, penny slot machine, 3 showcases, one cooler, pie case, cash register, 2-gal. coffee pot, dishes and trays. Mrs. Alonzo Collen. 1t

LOST—A Yale key Sunday. Return to—Avalanche office. Reward.

FOR SALE—One 9x12 Axminster rug, dining table and six chairs. Edison Amberola Victrola and 100 records. Inquire of Mrs. Fred W. Brown, Jr. 9-19-29

LOST—Sept. 12, about 10 or 12 keys on ring. Phone 73-J. Samuel Rasmussen.

CARETAKERS—Reliable man and wife want position as caretakers. Inquire at Avalanche Office. 3t

GARAGE FOR RENT—Near Central Drug Store. Inquire at Avalanche Office. 1t

FOR SALE—Fresh cow and calf. Inquire of William Ellis, on County line near Forestry.

HOUSE FOR RENT—On Cedar street in business section. Inquire of Miss Florence Taylor, phone No. 117-W.

FOR SALE—3 mules and 1 draft horse. Inquire Superintendent Hanson State Military Reservation, Grayling, Mich., or write Quartermaster General, Lansing, Mich.

HOUSE FOR RENT—On Michigan Avenue. Inquire of Lyle Mills or Adolph Peterson. 8-25-29

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Wm. Remer, Grayling.

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	Womens and Misses Hose	19c, 2 pr. 35c
Men's Suits at \$12.50	Womens and Misses Silk Hose—now	69c
	Neckties—only	10c
	Look these Buttons over	2c to 10c
	Crochet Cotton—this week	5c
Men's Suits at \$12.50	Sansilk—100 yd. spool	5c
	Womens Wool Hose—this week	69c
	Mens Silk and Wool Hose—now	49c
	SHOE STRINGS—this week only	3 pr. 7c

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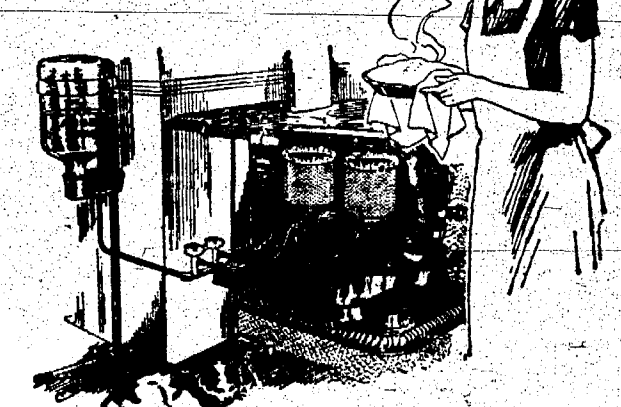
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AND UP AT FACTORY

CORWIN AUTO SALES, Grayling, Mich.

AGRICULTURAL NOTES



The last cutting of alfalfa in sections of the country where winter killing occurs should be made early enough to allow a growth of 6 to 8 inches for protection in the winter.

In 1840 the average weight of fleece sheared from American sheep was less than 2 pounds. By 1900 it had increased to nearly 5½ pounds. Today it is approaching 8 pounds. There is still room for improvement. Much of this difference has come from progressive weeding out of low producers and by breeding from the heavily fleeced sheep.

Silage made from corn containing moisture enough for proper preservation is more palatable to stock than that made from corn so mature as to need the addition of water. Usually corn should be harvested for the silo about a week or ten days before it would be cut for silage. At this time the lower leaves on the stalk are turning brown and the green corn fodder contains about 70 per cent of moisture, which is enough for silage.

Wounds in potatoes are the most frequent source of storage rot, and careful handling during harvest and storage. Cooling freshly harvested potatoes too rapidly may cause wound rot, because of the slowing down of wound repair. If wounds are properly healed before potatoes are placed in storage, and if sufficient ventilation is provided to keep them dry during storage, very low temperature is unnecessary to prevent loss by storage rot.

Well-fattened beef animals from 700 to 1200 pounds are in increasing demand at livestock markets. Calves selected for fattening should be of the type that is wide, deep bodied, smooth, thick fleshed, and well grown, with short legs, and of good quality as shown by fineness of hair, medium bone, smoothness of flesh, refinement about the head, and a lack of paunchiness. Uniformity in size, weight, and color are also advantages in marketing.

The whole tomato plant, and not individual fruits, should be the basis for selecting seed for next season. The prevalent belief that an early variety of tomato may be secured by selecting the first fruits to ripen is erroneous, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture, as on any one plant all fruits are equally able to transmit the tendency to earliness. The way to get earliness is to choose plants that produce ripe fruits first. Likewise, in selecting smooth-fruited strains of tomatoes, it is important to choose plants bearing a uniform crop of smooth fruits rather than to select smooth fruits at random after picking from the vines.

Fall Plow for Permanent Pasture
At the Beltsville, Md. experiment farm, dairy specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture seed permanent pasture with a grass-seed mixture in the following proportions: orchard grass, 6 pounds; timothy, 4 pounds; redtop, 3 pounds; bluegrass, 4 pounds; red clover, four pounds; alsike clover, 2 pounds. This mixture has proved desirable for the vicinity of Washington, D. C. It is sowed about April 1 on ground that was fall-plowed and manured.

Guinea for Game
Guinea fowls are used extensively as a substitute for game birds, and guinea raising in small flocks on general farms is becoming more profitable. The demand in late summer at city markets is for young birds weighing from 1 to 1½ pounds. As the fall season advances heavier birds are in demand. Guineas are fed in much the same way as chickens, but

they need less feed as they are natural rangers and obtain much of their feed in that manner.

Weed Trees
What is a "weed tree?" According to the Forest Service of the United States Department of Agriculture, weed trees are the less desirable trees growing in a farm woodland or other timber stand. They are the trees which, when compared to others in the stand, promise the least return in terms of dollars and cents. In the northeast, blue beech, iron wood, and occasionally red maple are usually classed as weed trees, while in the South scrub pine is included in the list. Each region has its own weed trees. The most satisfactory way for the woodland owner to decide between "weed" and "crop" trees is to remove the dead and dying trees, the trees overshadowed by larger trees, and those of such inferior form that it is evident they cannot produce valuable sawlogs.

ESTABLISH TROUT FEEDING STATIONS

At least three trout feeding stations will be established in the upper peninsula of Michigan within the next year by the fish division of the department of conservation which is initiating a large program for the propagation of fish.

Several available sites for feeding stations were investigated recently by A. B. Cook, field superintendent of the fish division, and his reports are being used as preliminaries to establishing the stations.

The feeding station at Thompson will have a capacity of 3,500,000 trout. Cook has recommended enlargement of the feeding station on the East Branch of the Tahquamenon river in Chippewa county to provide accommodation for 800,000 fingerlings.

There are now 14 feeding stations in operation in Michigan. It is expected that this number will be at least doubled as soon as it is physically possible to build and prepare them.

According to travelers, certain tribes in the South Sea Islands sleep on pillows made from the trunks of trees. They must have got the idea from the seaside hotels.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the county of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling, in said County, on the 14th day of September A. D. 1929.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John H. Hartman, deceased.

Russell A. Stevens, administrator, having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate, to the legal and lawful heirs of said estate.

It is ordered, that the 21st day of October A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate.

A true copy, George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

9-19-4

Leap Year Twins Awarded a Cup



These young daughters of Corvallis, Ore., are leap year twins, having been born February 29, 1916. They were awarded a cup at the recent annual twin reunion held at Albany, Ore. Two hundred and eighty sets of twins took part.

MAKES HIS HOME IN DRY SUBMARINE

French Writer Has Built Weird Structure.

Paris.—France's literary lion of the moment, Maurice Dekobra, makes his home in a submarine.

"You've got to do things like this if you want to get real color for your books," Dekobra declares. "Just now I'm working on a novel in which the big thrill occurs under the sea, wherefore my submarine."

Being original in all things, Dekobra has not troubled to go down to the sea to live in his submarine; he built one in his own home in Paris, thus creating the most novel residence in a city, where many seek the unusual and bizarre.

Dekobra's home is one of the grand mansions just off the boulevards. Outwardly it is one of those rare old relics of the thrilling times when aristocrats selected themselves from the mob behind high gates and weather-beaten gray walls, but once you enter the massive doors you find yourself in an atmosphere unrivaled either in the past or present.

Traversing an echoing hall and descending broad stone stairs, you pass through a secret passage into the submarine. Jules Verne himself might have conceived and elaborated the astonishing chamber.

Expert Naval Construction.

A button pressed on the outside steel paneled door causes the submarine to revolve, leaving it cut off from the outside world.

The author has had expert naval advice in the construction of his curious home. Everything in the submarine is an exact replica of a regular sea-going undersea craft—in the French navy—periscope, imitation engines, depth and range finders, steam gauge, starboard and port lights, torpedo tubes and steering devices. Open portholes reveal what appears to be ocean fishes, marine plants and the varied panorama of the sea depths, all painted on canvas and illuminated by changing lights.

Most ingenious of all, by a cunning arrangement of the steering wheel Dekobra is able to turn out a cocktail for his guests each time he turns the wheel.

By another manipulation the canvas with its simulation of the ocean underworld slides gently past, giving the impression of a moving submarine.

Other Bizarre Rooms.

Often the author spends weeks in his submarine, sleeping, eating there and he rarely permits visitors, considering intruders are liable to disturb the even tenor of his literary thoughts. Sometimes, however, he seeks repose in one of the other marvelous chambers of his exciting home, in which he has similarly reconstructed scenes of many of his celebrated novels.

Thus he has a reproduction of a Pullman car, which represents his best-seller "La Madonne des Sleepings," which means "The Madonna of the Sleeping Car." There is every detail representing a European Pullman compartment.

He has another wonderfully arranged room to represent his book "The Phantom Gondola," which caused an international sensation a year or so ago because of the daring situations.

Dekobra is now having another surprising addition made to his wonder home—an Indian temple in which the decorations will consist principally of the trophies he has brought back from his recent tour of India on which he has written a book now on sale on the Paris bookstands.

Engine "Knock" Was a Scared Mechanic

Chatham, Mass.—Police Chief Everett Eldredge visited a local automobile salesman as a prospective customer.

"Take that car out for a spin and try it," suggested the salesman, pointing to a machine which was parked with motor running in the yard.

Eldredge hopped in and drove away. Shortly afterward he reappeared.

"I wouldn't buy a car that knocked the way this one does," he complained.

At this point, Leo Leblanc, grimy faced mechanic, crawled from beneath the automobile. It developed that he had been working under the car and during the trial run, had saved himself from injury by holding himself suspended between the drip pan and an axle.

The "knocking" resulted when he rapped with a hammer in a frantic effort to warn the driver of his plight.

Dog's Life Is Saved by Blood Transfusion

Los Angeles.—Pal o' Mine, a wire-haired fox terrier, is on the road to recovery after a blood transfusion, but hereafter he will have as much Pekinese as fox terrier blood.

Bassy, a snub nose pet of Dr. John F. McKenna, of a dog and cat hospital here, furnished the blood that saved the life of Pal o' Mine.

Pal o' Mine's need for such treatment came as a result of his vanity. He thought the coping around the roof of an apartment house was a fence and that he could leap it. He could, but found out it wasn't a fence when he landed four stories down on a concrete driveway.

No bones were broken, but internal injuries necessitated the blood transfusion.

Kiss by Mail

The use of crosses for kisses owes its origin to the time when few could write, and made their signatures by a cross. The later use of a cross in token of faith and when education rendered an X was used as a kiss symbol only.

They are now delivering frankfurters by aeroplane in New York, but so far as we are concerned we are not in such a great hurry for ours.

From BARN to BATH TUB

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OLDSMOBILE. 8 models: \$675—\$1035. The Fine Car at Low Price. Now offers further refinements, mechanically and in the Fisher Bodies—also eight optional equipment combinations in Special and De Luxe line.

MARQUETTE. 6 models: \$965—\$1035. Buick's new companion car, designed and built by Buick. Six cylinders. Fisher Bodies. In price just Buick quality and craftsmanship within reach of more families.

OAKLAND. 9 models: \$1145—\$1375. Oakland All American Six. Distinctively original appearance. Splendid performance. Luxurious appointments. Attractive colors. Bodies by Fisher.

VIKING. 5 models: \$1595. General Motors' new "eight" at medium price. 90-degree V-type engine. Striking Bodies by Fisher. Unusual appointments. Also optional equipment combinations.

BUICK. 14 models: \$1225—\$1995. Three new wheelbases, 118-124-132 inches. The greatest Buick of them all. Many new mechanical features. Fisher Bodies with new lines.

LASALLE. 14 models: \$1295—\$2875. Companion car to Cadillac. Continental lines. Distinctive appearance. 90-degree V-type 8-cylinder engine. Striking color combinations in beautiful Bodies by Fisher.

CADILLAC. 26 models: \$3295—\$7000. The Standard of the World. Famous efficient 8-cylinder 90-degree V-type engine. Luxurious Bodies by Fisher and Fleetwood. Extensive range of color and upholstery combinations.

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Inside Information

If pockets cannot be placed on a child's dress because they spoil the design or if they cannot be used because of pleats or other features, make a pocket on the bloomers or drawers. Every child needs a pocket in every dress or suit.

Leftover egg yolks have many uses. They are a valuable source of iron and so should always be utilized. They may be hard-cooked in the double boiler, mashed and seasoned for sandwich filling. Raw or hard-cooked egg yolks make a good foundation for salad dressing. Several good egg sauces for fish or meat can be made with the yolks only, and soft custard for dessert is still another use.

One of the most common causes of failure in making sauerkraut is the use of too much salt. The right quantity is 2½ per cent by weight of the cabbage packed. When cabbage is to be fermented in very warm weather, it may be well to use a little more salt but not to exceed 3 per cent. The salt should be evenly distributed. The red streaks sometimes seen in sauerkraut are believed to be due to uneven distribution of salt.

Probably fewer sandwiches would be discarded from children's lunch boxes if the bread were always of the best quality. Children will eat more bread if different kinds are served. Sometimes so simple as baking the bread in a new form—a twist or rolls instead of a loaf, or cutting the sandwiches into fancy shapes with a cookie cutter, will increase interest in it. The change of flavor given by added raisins, dried currants, dates, or nut meats is another inducement to like the lunch bread.

When sour milk is to be substituted for sweet in making quick breads and cakes use the same quantity of sour milk and enough baking soda to neutralize the acid, or one scant half teaspoon for each cup of sour milk. For griddle cakes and thin batters, soda and sour milk generally furnish enough leavening, but thicker batters and dough require some baking powder in addition. In substituting sweet milk for sour, use 4 teaspoons of baking powder for each spoonful of soda if no other acid in gradient is used, such as molasses. If such an acid is used, some soda is needed.

MARSTON ADDRESSES MICHIGAN HOTEL MEN

(By E. M. T. Service)

T. F. Marston, Secretary-Treasurer of the East Michigan Tourist association, addressed the State Convention of the Michigan Hotel Association at Saginaw September 14. Mr. Marston told the association members of the wide ramifications of the advertising campaign of the four tourist associations of the state in cooperation with the state of Michigan. He showed specimens of the advertising of the East Michigan Tourist association, reviewed its direct mail campaign, radio broadcasting, street car and bus advertising, etc.

AMERICAN BATTLESHIPS IN FOREIGN NAVY

American battleships in a foreign navy—such is the employment of the former U. S. S. Mississippi and U. S. S. Idaho, sold to Greece fifteen years ago, according to the Navy Recruiting Station, Detroit. These two old warriors, commissioned in 1908, form the backbone of the Greek Navy. They played an important part for Greece in the World War, and figured conspicuously in the subsequent war between Greece and Turkey. They were the last battleships of pre-dreadnaught type to be built for the American Navy.

Canal Survey Boss



Maj. Dan J. Sutton, of the office of the chief of engineers of the army, who has been placed in charge of the engineering battalion, numbering 400 officers and men, ordered to duty in Central American jungles to survey the route of the proposed \$1,000,000, 900 Nicaraguan canal.

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SURE, THEY GROW UP AND PLAY GOLF!

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVANCE OF 23 YEARS AGO.

Thursday, September 27, 1906

Dr. Palmer and M. A. Bates left for Bryan, Ohio, Tuesday night.

Mrs. Charles Tromble is visiting Mrs. F. Michelson at Johannesburg this week.

Miss Martha Knibbs and Mrs. Arnold of Frederic, were in town yesterday.

Mrs. Wm. Sherwood and her daughter Mrs. Ursula Shirts, went to Saginaw Tuesday night, on account of the severe illness of another daughter.

Jens Michelson sold a pleasant home on Spruce St. to Hans P. Schmidt, this week. The boys want to know if it was bought for speculation or what?

Sheriff Stilwell went to Tuscola county Tuesday, to look after his recently acquired farm property. He is expected home today.

Fred Hoell, Jr., started for New Mexico, Monday, in search of health. It is hoped that he will find it in plenty and in quick time.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lovely and their daughter May, who have been visiting her mother, Mrs. L. Lamotte for the past month, have returned to their home in New Toledo.

Frank O. Phelps returned to his work in Stanton last Saturday, having had a pleasant time, though plenty of work in the City Drug Store, in Mr. Fournier's absence.

Our city gardener, John H. Cook brought to the office a sample of growing peanuts, which are a novelty to most of our citizens. They grow finely here, but are afraid of the frost.

O. B. Shook has sold his pleasant home to Wm. McNeven and moved to Aetna, Ind., 35 miles this side of Chicago, where he will take the position of engineer in the power house for the big factory of Nitro-Glycerine and other explosives.

Under the present equalization of the county, the state tax will be 2.055 on \$1,000 which will make Grayling only 12 cents more than last year, per thousand. Last year's tax was \$2,942.57 and will be \$3,122.11 this year, an increase of \$179.54 for the county.

Fred Michelson went to Ann Arbor last week to begin his collegiate course in the University. He will be missed by our young people, all of whom will wish him the success he merits, from his record here as a student and a gentleman.

Miss Bertha Woodburn of Grayling began teaching the lower grade in the school at Salling.

Miss Minnie Nelson is enjoying a well earned vacation this week. Miss Molly Johnson is taking her place during her absence.

It is reported that the M. C. Park Co., has bought 7,000 acres of land in Beaver Creek and South Branch townships which they will put on the market for farms, in such tracts as may be desired. Prices are steadily advancing for land in this county as their agricultural value is becoming known.

Lovells Items

T. E. Douglas is moving the men's dormitory south and in the rear of the store. Peter Brown of Grayling is doing the work, which insures a good job.

Mr. Joe Douglas is on the sick list.

Dr. Underhill is smiling, and well he might; 60 acres of fine clover as can be procured anywhere. He has the goods to convince any grower that clover will be king in Crawford county.

Thomas Walking is improving the looks of his yard wonderfully. Let the good work go on.

Read your home paper. Subscribe for the Advance.



Find Relations Between Moon and Earthquakes

After studying the records of more than 1,200 earthquakes in California which have occurred since 1812, a Pacific coast scientist comes to the interesting conclusion that all the quakes came when the moon was in a certain quarter. The quakes occur on a fault-line, or crack in the substructure of the earth's crust. It was found that when the fault-line ran in a north-westerly direction the earthquake would come when the moon was between the meridian and the western horizon, or when it had not yet arisen and was in the directly opposite position.

When the quake occurred on a fault-line running east and west, it was found that the moon would be in the corresponding quadrants of the sky, four out of five of the strongest shocks occurring in one place would come when the moon was in the same position it had been in during the main shock. Just why this relationship between the moon's position and earthquakes is so consistent has not yet been explained.

Took Pessimistic View of Wire Communication

A number of prominent men of Professor Morse's period were dubious about the practicability of the telegraph and believed it to have very restricted limits. In view of the development of this form of communication and its present high efficiency it is interesting to note some of these early comments. J. Fenimore Cooper, author of the famous Leatherstocking Tales, wrote to Morse on January 31, 1838, as follows: "My dear friend, I wish you all success with the telegraph, which might be made very useful for long distances. Your difficulty will be in communicating between more than two stations, for half a dozen sparks traveling on the same wire will play the devil with the registers." The Western Union today sends as many as eight messages over one wire at the same time by ingenious automatic devices.

Chocolate Ancient Beverage

Chocolate was a favored drink on this continent long before the arrival of the white man. It was extensively used by the Aztecs and before them the Toltecs. A Florentine who had resided in the West Indies finally introduced chocolate into Italy, whence its use gradually spread through Europe, though not without opposition. Its introduction into Prussia was prohibited by Frederick the Great. A famous Paris physician, Bocho, on the other hand, proclaimed cacao one of the most noble of discoveries, far more worthy to be the food of the gods than nectar and ambrosia, and Linnaeus, noted Swedish botanist, who gave cacao its scientific christening, coined a name, "Theobroma," from two Greek words, meaning "food for the gods," which remains its scientific name today.

A Promise

Although she had never been married at all her views on remarriage were very strict. So, of course, she had to call on the young divorcee and tell her so.

Frankness was one of the virtues on which she prided herself, so the conversation had not progressed far before she declared to the young bride, "Random my saying so, but don't you think you might have waited more than a month after your divorce to marry your second husband?" "Oh, you really think so?" replied the bride. "I'll make it a point to wait longer next time."

Midgut Kangaroos

Australia has more than 100 varieties of animals in which the mother carries her young in a pouch on her stomach, says James T. Nichols in Successful Farming Magazine. "The most noted of all these animals is the kangaroo," he writes, "of which there are a half hundred varieties. Some kangaroos are small as a rat and others are so large that when standing on their toes they are taller than a man. Although a kangaroo is a hardy animal, at birth it is very small, often but little larger than a mouse."

Patience Is a Virtue

A rather unusual man once said to the writer: "I let most of my mail lie on my desk 30 days unanswered. After that time I generally find little of it needs to be answered." This habit is not without its drawbacks, but there is something in it. Most of the things that worry us are really trivial. If we had the patience to go slowly, to let them wait, to hold our tongue, so many things would settle themselves. So many things we argue about and even quarrel about would disappear if left alone.—Philadelphia Star.

Primitive Home Life

Rural Japanese housewives roll up their beds and store them away every morning. The Saucians have no bathrooms. They bathe daily in the cool mountain streams. Their furnishings are limited to pots and gourds. Pebbles on the bare ground replace carpets. The Egyptian peasant along the Nile lives in a clay house. His bed and chair are a ledge of earth on the side of the room. In Arabia, dinner is served in a huge pot into which the diners dig with their hands and bring forth their portion.

Looking Ahead in South

Opinion in the South that the practice of forestry can be made to pay substantial profits now amounts to almost a positive assurance, says the American Tree Association. A lively interest has arisen in the renewing of timber crops on logged off lands.

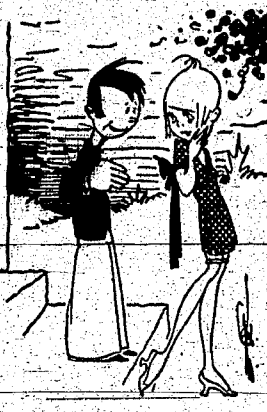
The way the American people are becoming air-minded it wouldn't surprise us if the next popular sport would be airplane polo.

SOMETHING WRONG



She—That English lord talks with perfect ease.
He—Yes, his "he's" are all right. It's his "he's" that are on the Fritz.

BOTH PAINFUL



He—I get a pain in the heart every time you're near.
She—That's nothing. You give me a pain in the neck.

THREW HIM OVER



He—I hear you threw young Smith, the dentist, over.
She—I should say so. He wanted to give me gas before kissing me.

WOULD SAY YES



He—If I proposed would you say yes?
She—If you propose a dinner, I would.

WEALTHY INDEED



"Is your friend wealthy?"
"Well? Why, man, he has three daughters at boarding school and doesn't have to give it the least thought."

RIGHT INSURANCE



"Why did he take out marine insurance instead of life insurance I'd like to know?"
"He has a floating kidney you see."

Pet Elephants Dangerous

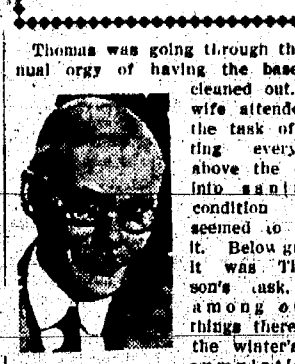
The most dangerous elephants in captivity, it has been said, are those which have been brought on as pets from infancy. They become dangerous because they come to realize the superiority of their strength over their masters.

This summer we have been interested in sun backs but now that the schools are opening we are interested in halfbacks once more.

KNOWING HIS ASHES

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK

Dean of Men, University of Illinois.



Thomas was going through the annual orgy of having the basement cleaned out. His wife attended to the task of putting everything above the cellar into sanitary condition and seemed to enjoy it. Below ground it was Thompson's task, and among other things there was the winter's accumulation of ashes to be gotten rid of.

This is an age of specialization, and even in our small town we have an ash man who gives all his time and all his talents to the disposal of ashes. It was he, of course, whose services Thompson employed in carrying away the remains of what had once been a supply of fuel.

"What 'a' you been burnin'?" the ash man inquired as he viewed the pile of clinders lying in one corner of the cellar.

"Well, coke, mostly," Thompson replied, "mixed with a little coal."

"I could see at the first glance that it wasn't coal," the laboring man stated. "I ain't educated, but I do know my ashes."

It is an accomplishment which is not infrequently lacking for a man properly to know his ashes.

"Have you little black Sambo?" I asked the clerk in the book store. I was getting a birthday remembrance for a child of my acquaintance and I thought he might be interested in the story of the little colored boy.

The salesman looked over the long line of shelves in an endeavor to find the desired volume. He opened a few drawers, pawed over a table of miscellaneous books nearby, confusion showing on his countenance.

"I don't seem to find it," he explained finally, "but we have Black Beauty, and the Black Tulip."

Here was a man who did not know his ashes.

Denton occupies a prominent position in a big organization, but he has hard sledding. He is far from popular; he is even cordially disliked by many of the people who work with him, or perhaps I should say who work for him. Denton prides himself that he plays no favorites; he treats everybody alike. The trouble with him is that he doesn't know his ashes. It has never got through his head that diplomacy is a virtue, that the sensitive self-conscious man should be approached in a far different manner than the bully; that some men are stimulated by praise and others by pride. Denton prides no one. It would seem to him a weakness to do so. He makes friends with no one. He sits in cold isolation in his office and gives orders. If he only knew a little of human nature and could some way get to it, he might some day be almost a great person. The real man could teach many of us a very important lesson. The recognition of different conditions, of different personalities, of a varied method of approach in business transactions, of the value of what at first might seem trifling details—these qualities make or mar success. It pays to know one's ashes.

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BABY MOOSE IN CAPTIVITY

A month ago a baby bull moose roamed through the forests of Isle Royale. In all his brief life, perhaps, he had never been seen by a human being. Today that same moose has been seen by possibly a million Michigan people; at the state fair at Detroit, Saginaw fair, and Traverse City fair.

The moose is now in the Grand Rapids zoo. He was captured at Isle Royale recently by men from the department of conservation. Those in charge of the conservation exhibits at the three fairs feared he might not survive his life in fair buildings and turned him over to the Grand Rapids zoo.

This year the conservation department is showing exhibits representing every one of its divisions to 22 county and state fairs.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Circuit Court for the County of Crawford in Chancery.

Fay Kauffman, Plaintiff, vs. Ben Kauffman, Defendant.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, in Chancery.

On reading and filing the affidavit of Fay Kauffman the plaintiff in this cause, that it cannot be ascertained in what State or Country the defendant resides.

On motion of J. W. Patchin, attorney for plaintiff, it is ordered that said defendant, Ben Kauffman, enter his appearance in this cause on or before December 12th, 1929.

And it is further ordered that this order shall be published once in each week for six successive weeks in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper published in said County, or that a copy thereof be personally served on said defendant, said publication to be completed or said service made at least twenty days before the time herein limited for defendant's appearance.

Dated September 12th, 1929.
MERLE F. NELLIST,
Circuit Court Commissioner.
W. Patchin, Attorney for Plaintiff.
Business Address:
206 Peoples Savings Bank Bldg.
Traverse City, Michigan. 9-12-6

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the county of Crawford.

In the matter of the estate of Jno. R. Williams, late of the city of St. Louis, Missouri, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the 19th day of September A. D. 1929, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on or before the 20th day of January A. D. 1930, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 20th day of January A. D. 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated September 19th A. D. 1929.
GEORGE SORENSON,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy.
George Sorenson,
Judge of Probate. 9-19-4

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

RESCINDING ORDER—RUFFED GROUSE (PARTRIDGE) AND PRAIRIE CHICKEN.

The order issued by the Conservation Commission on the thirty-first day of July, 1928, making a closed season on ruffed grouse (partridge) and prairie chicken in the State of Michigan for a period of one year from the 25th day of October, 1928, is hereby rescinded, by authority of Act 230, P. A. 1925.

Dated at Lansing, Michigan, September 16, 1929.

George R. Hogarth, Director,
Department of Conservation.
Conservation Commission by:
Wm. H. Loutit, Chairman.
Ray E. Cotton, Secretary. 9-19-3

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

RESCINDING ORDER OF THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION—TROLLING.

The order issued by the Conservation Commission on the 5th day of April, 1929, making it unlawful for any person to troll for any kind of fish from a boat propelled by gas, naptha, or any other motive power, excepting sail, on inland lakes of the State, excepting certain lakes, for a period of one year from the first day of May, 1929, is hereby rescinded, by authority of Act 230, P. A. 1925.

Dated at Lansing, Michigan, August 16, 1929.

George R. Hogarth, Director,
Department of Conservation.
Conservation Commission by:
Wm. H. Loutit, Chairman.
Ray E. Cotton, Secretary. 9-19-3

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

ORDER OF THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION—MUSKRATS.

The Director of Conservation, having made a thorough investigation of conditions relative to muskrats in the state, recommends certain regulations.

THEREFORE, the Conservation Commission by authority of Act 230, P. A. 1925, hereby orders that for a period of one year it shall be unlawful to hunt, take or kill, or attempt to hunt, take, or kill any muskrats in the State of Michigan, excepting that it shall be lawful to trap muskrats in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan during the period from November 1st to November 30th, inclusive; and in the Lower Peninsula North of the North line of Township 16 North and west of Saginaw Bay from November 15th to December 15th, inclusive; and in the Lower Peninsula south of the north line of Township 16 North and east of Saginaw Bay from December 1st to December 31st.

Signed, sealed, and ordered published this 16th day of August, 1929.

George R. Hogarth, Director,
Department of Conservation.

Conservation Commission by:
Wm. H. Loutit, Chairman.
Ray E. Cotton, Secretary. 9-19-3

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

ORDER OF THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION—RACCOON.

The Director of Conservation, having made a thorough investigation of conditions relative to raccoon in the State, recommends certain regulations.

THEREFORE, the Conservation Commission by authority of Act 230, P. A. 1925, hereby orders that for a period of one year it shall be unlawful to hunt, take, or kill, or attempt to hunt, take, or kill any raccoon in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan, and to hunt, take, or kill, or attempt to hunt, take or kill any raccoon in the Lower Peninsula of Michigan, excepting that it shall be lawful to hunt raccoon in the Lower Peninsula of Michigan from November 1st to November 30th; and it shall be lawful to trap raccoon in the Lower Peninsula north of the north line of Township 16 North and west of Saginaw Bay from November 15th to December 15th; and south of the north line of Township 16 North and east of Saginaw Bay from December 1st to December 15th.

Signed, sealed, and ordered published this 16th day of August, 1929.

George R. Hogarth, Director,
Department of Conservation.

Conservation Commission by:
Wm. H. Loutit, Chairman.
Ray E. Cotton, Secretary. 9-19-3

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

ORDER OF THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION—RUFFED GROUSE (PARTRIDGE) AND PRAIRIE CHICKEN.

The Director of Conservation, having made a thorough investigation of conditions relative to ruffed grouse (partridge) and prairie chicken, in the State, recommends certain regulations.

THEREFORE, the Conservation Commission by authority of Act 230, P. A. 1925, hereby orders that for a period of one year it shall be unlawful to hunt, take, or kill, or attempt to hunt, take, or kill any ruffed grouse (partridge), or prairie chicken in the Lower Peninsula of Michigan, excepting from October 15th to October 30th.

Signed, sealed, and ordered published this 16th day of August, 1929.

George R. Hogarth, Director,
Department of Conservation.
Conservation Commission by:
Wm. H. Loutit, Chairman.
Ray E. Cotton, Secretary. 9-19-3

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STATE OF MICHIGAN.

ORDER OF THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION—PHEASANTS—REGULATING SEASON.

The Director of Conservation, having made a thorough investigation of hunting conditions in regard to pheasants, recommends certain regulations.

THEREFORE, the Conservation Commission by authority of Act 230, P. A. 1925, hereby orders that the open season for hunting pheasants (male) shall extend from 12 o'clock Noon, Central Standard Time, on October 25 to and including October 31, 1929.

Signed, sealed, and ordered published this 6th day of September, 1929.

George R. Hogarth, Director,
Department of Conservation.
Conservation Commission by:
Wm. H. Loutit, Chairman.
Ray E. Cotton, Secretary. 9-19-3

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Wort Heath, a single man, to Nickolin Schjotz, dated the 1st day of November A. D. 1927, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Crawford, and State of Michigan, on the 23rd day of November A. D. 1927, in Liber G of mortgages, on page 213, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, and taxes due, the sum of two hundred two & ninety-eight hundredths dollars, and an attorney's fee of thirty dollars, as provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Saturday the ninth day of November, A. D. 1929, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the front door of the Court House in the Village of Grayling, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the county of Crawford is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with seven per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney's fee, to wit: Lot three of block two, of Salling and Hanson Company's Addition to the Village of Grayling, in the Village of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan.

Dated, August 15th, 1929.
NICKOLIN SCHJOTZ,
Mortgagee.

Merle F. Nellist,
Attorney for mortgagee,
Grayling, Michigan. 8-15-13

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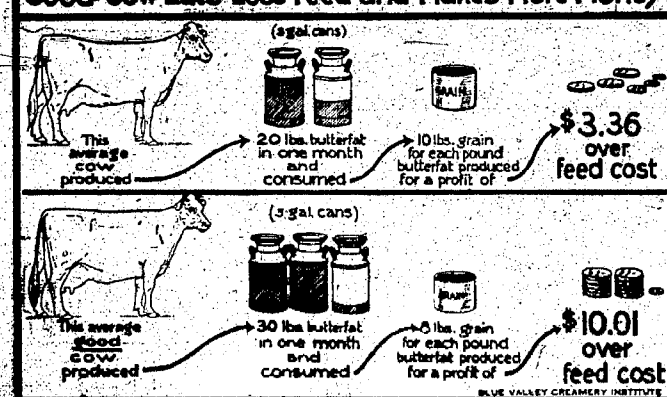
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Firewomen Make Good Year's Record



Members of the female fire department of Silver Springs, Md. are here seen preparing for their annual inspection and hose-laying contest. The town has been very pleased with the service rendered by the female fire fighters throughout the year.

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Grants Pass, Oregon, recently initiated a plan which is making a pronounced hit with tourists. One of the main streets three miles in length, is set aside for the parking convenience of visitors. The street is part of the main line of the Pacific Highway. Residents of the city park on side streets. There is no time limit up to 1:00 o'clock in the morning for parking on this main artery.

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Konjola is sold in Grayling, Mich., at the Mac & Gidley drug store, and by all the best druggists in all towns throughout this entire section.

SCHOOL NOTES

(Continued from first page) of the evening. The students all met in the auditorium of the M. E. church and fled to the dining room in the order of their grades. With Mr. Hill leading the songs, everyone did his best to make himself heard in the general excitement, preceding supper. The speakers of the evening were: Mr. T. P. Peterson—Toastmaster. Thorwald Sorenson—Freshman Welcome.

Jack Zeder—Freshman Answer. Mr. Hill—Faculty. Mr. Peterson—Superintendent's Welcome.

Mr. LaBarge—Answer. Mr. M. A. Bates—Board of Education. Mr. Cushman—Greetings to the Orchestra.

The class day dance from 8:30 to 12:00 climaxed the day. An orchestra composed of Alumni and High School students furnished music during supper and dance.

Grayling High School pep was much in evidence all day, and every student had an opportunity to show his loyalty to both school and class.

Scout News

The White Pine Girl Scout troop met last Tuesday night for the first meeting of the year. The patrol numbers thirty members, exactly twice as many as last year.

Because of the amount of business to be transacted in getting organized, no entertainment was provided. Elections for secretary and treasurer of the troop also took place, in which Loretta Sorenson was elected Secretary and Mary Mahneke Treasurer.

A wienie roast was greatly enjoyed last Tuesday night at Conine's grove.

The Boy Scouts held their meeting last week with a large crowd in attendance. After a short business meeting, Mr. Hill, Scout leader, conducted drill to get the boys in practice again. Afterward the more athletically inclined scouts enjoyed a game of basketball.

From now on the Boy Scouts will meet every Tuesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

Grade News

The grade pupils are being given health examinations this week and their individual weights are recorded on the posters of each grade room. It is very interesting to note that those who took milk in school last year have gained considerably and in one instance a pupil shows a gain of fifteen pounds.

The first grade has chosen as its Doctor this week, Oscar Holmberg.

Five girls, Pat Roberts, Katherine Peterson, Kathleen Kraus, Audrey Gammon and Catherine Charron, won stars for neatness this week in the first grade.

The first grade under the supervision of its teacher, Miss Arnold, went for a walk to view the beauties of Autumn Nature.

A home book for the first grade library has been started for the little people. If all you mothers are wondering where your catalogs are going, ask to see the little first graders Home Project Books. These are made by the children themselves.

Grocers attention! If any pupils come in for empty cartons or samples, please accommodate them by granting their request as they are making grocery stores and need the products. This is an interesting project and your courtesy will be appreciated.

Won't Be Long Now!!! Basketball

Mr. Cushman is taking over the girls basketball team this year. And are they glad? Monday after school he called a meeting of all the prospects and told them the principles of the game. As one of the girls said, "I learned more from him in those few minutes than I have for the last two years."

The coach also told the girls that they might play a two court game this year instead of three court. This is a somewhat harder game but much more interesting to play. He says, "it needs brainwork." Think the girls can stand it?

Miss Hildebrand is going to act as sponsor for the team.

Personals

Arthur May's broken wrist is mending rapidly. Art is anxious for it to heal, since basketball season is so near.

Last week the American Literature classes began a study of Washington Irving and his famous Knickerbocker history. Mr. LaBarge offered an "A" for the best sketch of Wonder Van Twiller, principal character of the story. The three students who were fortunate enough to obtain "A's" for their fine drawings were Margaret Fehr, Laura Sammons, and Virginia Morrissey. Margaret Warren received a "B" for her effort.

Thorwald Sorenson seems to have incurred the displeasure of his fellow students and he expects a royal hazing in the future. Wonder why? Ask "Bones," he knows.

Clara Bugby has returned to school after a week's absence with blood poisoning in her heel.

THREE NAVIES JOIN IN FLEET SMOKER

In an unusual instance of international good will three navies, the U. S., Japanese and Chinese, were represented at a Fleet smoker recently held in San Francisco, according to the Navy Recruiting Station, Detroit. The occasion was the visit of training squadrons from the two foreign navies. Boxing, wrestling, Japanese fencing and "Judo," a form of Japanese wrestling, were featured. It is very rarely possible for an international meet of this particular type to be held.

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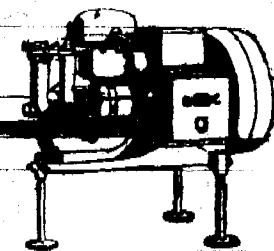
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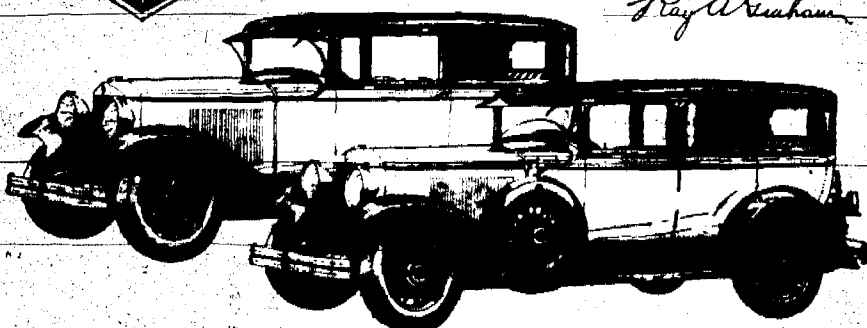
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